

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re application of:

Elizabeth Bates *et al.*

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 31, 2009 (the "Office Action"), Applicants submit the following amendment and response. Applicants hereby request a three month extension in the time to respond, extending the deadline from June 30, 2009 through September 30, 2009. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.